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Application of: P. KADKADE

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For: CRYOPRESERVATION OF PLANT CELLS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.115

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Please enter the following amendments and remarks prior to examination of the present application. Applicants submit herewith: (a) Exhibit A, a list of claims that will be pending upon entry of the amendment.

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please cancel claims 20, 21, and 27-60 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Applicants have canceled claims 20, 21, and 27-60 without prejudice. Applicants expressly reserve the right to prosecute the subject matter in a continuation, divisional, or a continuation-in-part application. These claims were canceled during prosecution in the parent application 09/307,787 of which this application is a continuation.

The application now contains 24 claims, claims 1-8, 22, 23, 25, and 61-74, of which claims 1 and 22 are independent.